

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 1858**
Shohji OHTSUBO et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006_0469A
Serial No. 10/574,619 : Group Art Unit 2184
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RECORDING DEVICE
CONTROL APPARATUS
[Corresponding to PCT/JP2004/18915,
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action dated April 15, 2008, the Applicants herein request entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks.